

A Splendid Opportunity!

Owing to our removal from Kansas,

Commencing Saturday, March 6,

and continuing for a short period, we will sell high grade

Footwear at Actual Cost!

Don't miss this chance to secure good Boots and Shoes at low prices.

The Baxter Shoe Store.

Go to Mrs. Meyerding for fresh oysters.

All kinds of fancy cakes at Mrs. Meyerding's Steam Bakery.

"That Tired Feeling"

overcomes us when inferior preparations are recommended by unscrupulous dealers as "just as good as Foley's Honey and Tar Cough Syrup," when we know the unequalled merits of this great medicine. W. E. Price.

To Consumptives.

As an honest remedy Foley's Honey & Tar does not hold out false hopes in advanced stages, but truthfully claims to give comfort and relief in the very worst cases, and in the early stages to effect a cure. W. E. Price.

Owing to our immense trade we have decided to continue this big sale

6 days from Mar. 13

The great bankrupt sale of the Lynch and Rendel stocks will be continued for 6 days from today. Goods will be slaughtered. Don't fail to take advantage of this opportunity to get goods cheap.

I. N. Lynch has secured control of his stock again, but in order to raise money the sale will be continued as above stated.

J. C. Little, assignee, is closing out the Rendel stock.

Meals and lunch at all hours at Mrs. T. Meyerding's.

Best square meal in the city for the money at Mrs. Meyerding's.

From Cripple Creek.

After the big fire at Cripple Creek I took a very severe cold and tried many remedies without help, the cold only becoming more settled. After using three small bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the cough and cold both left me, and in this high altitude it takes a meritorious cough remedy to do any good. —G. B. Henderson, editor Daily Advertiser. For sale by J. G. Polster.

Have You Had the Grip?

If you have, you probably need a reliable medicine like Foley's Honey and Tar to heal your lungs and stop the racking cough incidental to this disease. W. E. Price.

Township officers will please remember that the News office prints township blanks of all kinds on short notice and on very reasonable terms.

WILLARD'S Grocery and Mill Product House.

Here Are a Few Prices:

| FLOUR. | |
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| Best High Patent | \$.40 |
| White Dove | 2.30 |
| My Choice | 1.80 |
| FEED. | |
| Shorts | .70 |
| Brass | .60 |
| Cough feed | .40 |
| Meal, the best, 25 pounds | .15 |
| STAPLES. | |
| 20 pounds Granulated Sugar | \$1.00 |
| 25 pounds Light Brown Sugar | 1.00 |
| Arbuckle or Lion Coffee, 20c per package, or 2 packages | .35 |
| 10 pounds Navy Beans | .25 |
| 7 Bars Fairbank's Brown Soap | .25 |
| Best Syrup, per gallon | .30 |
| Sorghum Molasses, per gal. | .35 |
| Northern Seed Potatoes | .45 |
| Early Rose | .45 |
| Early Ohio | .35 |
| Wheat Flour, per pound | .08 1/2 |
| Bolled Oats, 2 packages | .15 |
| Other things at proportionately low prices. | |

I will pay the highest market prices for country produce and will duplicate market prices.

A. WILLARD, second door north postoffice.

W. D. Pinnick—feed store.

10 Bars "World Beater" soap for only 25c at Cook's.

W. H. Horner was in Weir City Saturday.

LIGHT DRAYING DONE DAY OR NIGHT, BY MAC GILL.

You get 16 ounces to the pound at Pinnick's flour and feed store.

Everything in the bread, cake and pie line at Mrs. Meyerding's.

Dr. Geo. B. McClellan of Weir City was in Baxter Sunday.

2-lb package Columbia Rolled Oats for 5c at Cook's.

The curfew bell now rings 10 minutes before 9 o'clock p. m.

Merchants' and farmers' lunch at Occidental hotel 15 cents. Sunday dinner 25 cents.

FOR SALE—Plymouth Rock eggs at my farm two and one-half miles west of Baxter Springs.

J. A. ELLIS.

Parties indebted to the Baxter Shoe Store are requested to call and square up at once. H. G. MAUTE.

Ed. Talbot, a commission man of Kansas City, was in town this week looking after business and visiting relatives.

The order of the city council and marshal prohibiting stock from running at large is not very generally obeyed.

So far W. S. Norton is the only candidate mentioned for mayor. It is our opinion that he will have no opposition.

H. M. BACON, M. D., Physician, Surgicum and Purgum—Office west side Military street—Office hours, any time, day or night.

Dr. A. J. Thompson of Kansas City, who succeeds to the business of Dr. L. H. Moore, will be here about April 1 and will finish all work commenced by Dr. Moore.

Don't allow the lungs to be impaired by the continuous irritation of a cough. It is easier to prevent consumption than to cure it. One Minute Cough Cure taken early will ward off any fatal lung trouble. W. E. Price.

W. E. Morgan, the Joplin roofing man, who is well known in this city, will probably receive the Democratic nomination for marshal of Joplin. The nomination on the Democratic ticket in Joplin is equivalent to election.

Don't miss the opera next week. The Commons Opera Company will play at Baldwin's opera house, beginning Monday, March 13, all the week. General admission 20 cents; reserved seats 30 cents; children under 10 years 10c. Reserved seats on sale at postoffice book store.

The city of Belfast, Ireland, which owns its gas works, has lowered the price of its product to 90 cents per thousand feet, the former price—60 cents—yielding a profit larger than was necessary. And this, too, with coal at \$3.00 per ton. Such facts are always interesting as affording a basis of comparison with the price of gas in American cities.

They are so small that the most sensitive persons take them, they are so effective that the most obstinate cases of constipation, headache and torpid liver yield to them. That is why Dr. Witt's Little Early Risers are known as the famous little pills. W. E. Price.

The Inter-State Chautauqua Association, composed of Carthage, Galena and Joplin parties, has busted up. The Carthage members said the assembly should be held at Carthage, or not at all, and the Joplin and Galena members voted "not at all." They should have compromised and made Baxter the place of assembly.

Our people will no doubt be agreeably surprised to know that the Commons Bros., representing the Commons Theatre Company, will be at Baldwin's opera house for one week commencing Monday, March 15. Ladies will be admitted free opening night if accompanied by escort with one reserved seat ticket, which can be obtained at the postoffice book store.

The case of the State of Kansas vs. A. MacDonald, who was charged with usurpation of office, went to trial before a jury in Justice T. H. Williams' court last Saturday and was finished Monday evening. The jury was composed of farmers. The state was represented by County Attorney Stevens and E. G. Hogan and the defense by W. H. Horner and Norton & Skidmore. The case was a hard fought one from start to finish and a great many personalities were indulged in on both sides. The jury returned a verdict against MacDonald and he was fined \$10 and costs. An appeal was taken to the district court.

A whole lot of people are going to move to Kansas next spring. Suppose you send them the News so they can find out what kind of a country we have. The News is standing up for Kansas and Baxter Springs and Cherokee county in particular. One dollar per year, in advance, pays the bill, and almost any old thing will be taken as legal tender. Now is the exact time to subscribe.

DON'T DO IT.

Baxter Springs will probably enjoy a little boom this year, a good many substantial improvements will be made and real estate will no doubt change hands more rapidly than it has for some time. But, dear people, the News suggests right here that owners of town property must not ask outrageous prices for their property, if they want to sell. Many a healthy town growth has been squelched just because owners of property thought they could ask whatever they wanted to and get it.

You will have plenty of chances to sell your property before the year is out, if your price is reasonable. Remember this.

Something to Depend On.

Mr. James Jones of the drug firm of Jones & Son, Cowden, Ill., in speaking of Dr. King's New Discovery, says that last winter his wife was attacked with la grippe, and her case grew so serious that physicians at Cowden and Pana could do nothing for her. It seemed to develop into hasty consumption. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in the store and selling lots of it he took a bottle of it home, and to the surprise of all she began to get better from the first dose, and half a dozen dollar bottles cured her sound and well. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Colds and Coughs is guaranteed to do this good work. Try it. Free trial bottles at W. E. Price's drug store.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city treasurer, subject to the will of the voters at the polls. Respy.

A. R. KANE.

ICE CREAM!

Mrs. T. Meyerding will open the ice cream season Sunday, at which time she will have on hand a supply of first class cream.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the registration books will be closed at 7 p. m. Friday, March 20, 1897.

JAS. T. RYON,

City Clerk.

March 29th

is my last day to do business in Baxter Springs.

LONG,

The Photographer.

Try stock food—at Pinnick's.

The roads are getting better very rapidly. J. J. Fribley's big warehouse is about completed.

2-lb package Columbia Rolled Oats for 5c at Cook's.

Township road tax receipt books for sale at this office.

John Jones and Mac Gill hunted evil doers in Galena this week.

10 Bars "World Beater" soap for only 25c at Cook's.

A. R. Kane will be a candidate for city treasurer to succeed himself.

Mrs. H. T. Leeman and children of Galena visited in Baxter this week.

Territory chattel mortgages can now be recorded at Miami. Remember this.

Remember, we have a large lot of chattel mortgage blanks. Also blank bills of sale.

Riley Robertson and Geo. McCullagh of Galena will see the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight at Carson, Nev.

Twenty car loads of corn passed through Joplin Wednesday on the Pittsburg and Gulf en route to Port Arthur.

Dr. C. H. Shriner, who has been ill at his home in Galena for several weeks, is improving in health, says the Galena Post.

Galena is to have a bottling establishment, but we don't suppose beer will be bottled there. On the contrary, we think it will be tanked.

The Lawrence World is of the opinion that the legitimacy of the race should now be discussed since the question of Jonah and the whale has been settled. Adam and Eve were married without a license.

See Pinnick for flour and chop.

John Reed of Chicago, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Austin, arrived in the city a few days ago and walked in on the old people greatly to their surprise. Mr. Reed is a druggist and will remain in Baxter a few weeks.

One whole week of solid fun at Baldwin's opera house, commencing Monday, March 15. The Commons Theatre Company will introduce Miss Delano, the charming actress and vocalist. Ladies free opening night if accompanied by escort. Tickets for sale at postoffice book store.

H. H. Rueter and family departed on Thursday of last week for Tany county, Mo., where Mr. Rueter, Thos. Waugh and O. E. Baldwin have a tract of about 900 acres of land on which they are opening up a stock ranch. We are sorry to lose Mr. Rueter as a citizen and wish him success in his new field.

DeWitt's Colic & Cholera Cure. Pleasant, quick results, safe to use.

DR. A. J. McCLELLAN.

Last Sunday were laid to rest the mortal remains of our beloved friend and fellow-citizen, who expired at 5 o'clock last Saturday morning. His illness was not considered fatal until the last twelve hours before death, which came upon him suddenly at the home of his son, Dr. Geo. B. McClellan, at Weir City, Kansas.

As Dr. McClellan was a member of the Masonic order, his remains were escorted to the train by members of that fraternity in Weir City, who also sent a delegation with the remains to this city, where they were met by members of the order here, taken by them to the home, and they also kept the death watch.

The funeral was conducted from St. Mark's church and according to the ritual of the church, at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The Masons also held their service over the body, which was finally laid to rest in the cemetery west of town.

The church, which was tastefully decorated by loving hands, was filled to overflowing (not even standing room being available), by our citizens who were anxious to honor the remains of one whom all respected, and to show their sympathy with the bereaved and sorrowing family.

Andrew Jackson McClellan was born in Uniontown, Pennsylvania, in 1834, and at the time of his death was sixty-two years and eight months old. He came to Baxter Springs in 1870 and has resided here since and practiced his profession continuously until about one year ago, when he went to Weir City in the employ of several mining companies as their senior physician and surgeon, the firm being A. J. McClellan & Son. Since that time Dr. McClellan has lived with his son at Weir City, coming home every week when it was possible to leave his patients. During Cleveland's administration he was appointed a member of the pension board for this county.

Dr. McClellan was a man of singular strength of character, but not of obstinacy, a combination which made him a man, with many friends and hardly a single enemy. It would, perhaps, be hard to name one in our community who was more generally loved and highly respected than was our late lamented townsman, and our deepest sympathy goes out to his stricken widow, son and son's family, who are left to mourn his loss.

OBITUARY.

Died, at his home in the north part of town on Thursday, March 11, 1897, William Ratcliff, aged fifty-two years, eight months and twenty-one days, of Bright's disease of the kidneys. Drs. Jones & Jones made a post-mortem examination Thursday night and found the kidneys in a badly diseased condition, one of them being no larger than an oyster and the other badly ulcerated. The remains were taken to Monmouth, Kas., yesterday, where they will be interred today. The deceased was an old soldier.

Died, on Wednesday, March 10, '97, at the home of its parents in the Peoria reservation, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Peckham. Funeral services were held Thursday.

An Act Relating to Mortgages in the Indian Territory.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled:

That section 4742 of Mansfield's Digest of the Laws of Arkansas, heretofore put in force in the Indian Territory, is hereby amended by adding to said section the following:

"Provided, That if the mortgagor is a non-resident of the Indian Territory the mortgage shall be recorded in the judicial district in which the property is situated at the time the mortgage is executed. All mortgages of personal property in the Indian Territory heretofore executed and recorded in the judicial district thereof in which the property was situated at the time they were executed are hereby validated."

Approved Feb. 3, 1897.

Chattel mortgage blanks, both state and Territory form, at this office.

A GALENA WONDER.

A wonderful cave has been discovered north of Galena on the tract known as the Friend lease. The discovery was made in drifting at a depth of 70 feet. A cave was broken into that exceeds the most sanguine Arabian Nights' tale. Dr. Savage and others are interested in the mine, and the cave is a veritable jack bin, in which it is estimated there are fully 300 tons of zinc ore ready to be hoisted and placed on the market. Dr. Savage claims enough ore is in sight to furnish a month's steady hoisting with a steam hoister, and the full extent of the cave is not yet known on account of foul air. It is ten feet high and fifty feet wide. How large cannot be told. The roof and walls are heavily coated with pure crystals of blende and huge piles of ore several feet deep cover the bottom.—Joplin Herald.

To sell goods cheap You must sell for cash. To sell for cash You must sell goods cheap.

From this day on we shall abide by these rules strictly.

We have a few sacks of Navy Beans left we will offer at..... 12 lbs. for 25c
Also a few barrels of choice bulk Oat Meal at..... 15 lbs. for 25c
Some pure Boneless Dry Salt Sides at 4c per lb.
We also have an elegant syrup we will offer, for a limited time only, at.... 20c per gal.
A few boxes of Fairbanks "Clairette" Soap at..... 9 bars for 25c
Seed Potatoes and everything else we have in stock..... Greatly reduced.

Remember, we have thrown away our book and nothing goes except CASH.

Yours respectfully,

J. A. DENT & SON.

Club Dance No. 12.

The twelfth weekly dance of the dancing club was held at the city hall on Tuesday evening of this week and was, we believe, one of the most enjoyable meetings of the club yet held. About 25 couples enjoyed the dancing, the music was excellent and the weather all that could be desired. Will Price's imitation of Blind Boone at the piano made the hit of the evening and his fiendish grin was immense.

Members of the club and their friends should remember that next Tuesday night occurs the calico ball. A committee has been appointed to select a prize which will be given to the lady wearing the neatest calico costume. The ladies will each take a basket of lunch, which will be served in picnic style. A big turn out is expected by the managers of the club and if the weather is good they will not be disappointed.

Old People.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whiskey or other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alternative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs thereby aiding nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestion. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price 50c and \$1 a bottle at W. E. Price's drug store.

NOTICE TO HORSEMEN.

Now is the time to advertise your stock, and the News is the medium through which to reach the people. The News job printing department has a fine line of cuts and can turn out a fine line of cards or bills on very short notice at reasonable rates. Give us a call.

Buckley's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25c per box. For sale by W. E. Price.

Presbyterian Church Notice.

A series of revival services will begin at the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening. Text for Sunday morning, Heb. 3:2—"Oh, Lord, Revive Thy Work in the Midst of Years." Text for Sunday evening, Luke 24:48—"Ye Are Witnesses of These Things."

Beaver Dam, O., Aug. 27, '95. My daughter, after being treated by four doctors, and being given up for lost, a neighbor recommended Foley's Kidney Cure. Today she is able to walk several miles without fatigue. I feel we would have lost her if it was not for your medicine.—Respectfully, Mrs. J. M. Bailey. W. E. Price.

Petitions are being circulated asking W. S. Norton to become a candidate for mayor, and they are being liberally signed.

Mrs. M. E. Fryar, who has been visiting her brother, T. H. Williams, in this city for some time, left on Wednesday for her home in Walnut Grove, Mo.

The family of J. N. McDonald, of the Traders Bank, arrived in the city Thursday evening from Winfield. Mr. McDonald and family will occupy the Mary V. Miller residence on River street.

Dr. L. H. Moore left Wednesday for Appleton, Wisconsin, where he will reside in future. Mrs. Moore is already at Appleton. Dr. and Mrs. Moore have a large circle of warm friends here who regret to see them leave. The doctor had built up a large practice here, but he will have a better field at Appleton, which is a city of 20,000 inhabitants. The News joins their many friends in wishing Dr. and Mrs. Moore happiness and success in their new home and will visit them weekly.

Mrs. L. H. McMICKLE,

dealer in staple and fancy

Groceries, FLOUR AND FEED.

North Military St., Baxter Springs.

FRESH GOODS.
LOWEST PRICES.
PROMPT DELIVERY.
COURTEOUS TREATMENT.

RESTAURANT and Steam Bakery!

Steam Baked Bread,
ROLLER PROCESS,
Wholesale and Retail.

ICE CREAM, wholesale and retail
CAKES MADE TO ORDER.
Tobacco, Cigars and Cold Drinks.

MRS. T. MEYERDING.

DR. A. O. DeWITT,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

Office opposite Baxter Bank.
Residence—First house north of
Springs Hotel.

THE MEDICAL SPRINGS.

We receive every few days inquiries as to the curative powers of the Baxter medical springs. We don't know just what the waters of these springs won't cure, but we do know that they are good for rheumatism, Bright's disease, catarrh of the bladder, asthma, bronchitis, catarrhal troubles, scrofula, diseases of the skin, cancer, diseases of women, malaria, nervous prostration, eczema, liver trouble, torpidity, biliousness, jaundice, indigestion, dyspepsia, chronic diarrhoea, general debility and all diseases of the blood and kidneys.

A good many people from abroad will be here this summer for their health.

Dangers of the Grip.

The greatest danger from la grip is of its resulting in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger will be avoided. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy for la grip, we have yet to learn of a single case having resulted in pneumonia, and this shows conclusively that this remedy is a certain preventive of that dread disease. It will effect a permanent cure in less time than any other treatment. The 25c and 50c sizes for sale by J. G. Polster.

FOR SALE.

A five-room cottage, 100x140 feet of ground, with 20 nice fruit trees, good barn and other outbuildings, cistern; first class neighborhood. Reason for selling, owner wishes a place with more ground. For further particulars inquire at this office.

Rheumatism Quickly Cured. After having been confined to the house for eleven days and paying out \$25 in doctor bills without benefit, Mr. Frank Dolsen of Saint Joe, Marie, Mich., was cured by one bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm costing 25 cents and has not since been troubled with that complaint. For sale by J. G. Polster.

FARM LEASES.

We have on hand a full line of farm lease blanks and also a lease providing that land must be planted to corn. Come to us for blank leases or any other kind of blanks.

Many cases of "grippe" have lately been cured by Chamberlain's Cough Cure. This preparation is especially adapted to the cure of this disease. It acts quickly, thus preventing serious complications and had effects in which this disease of ten leaves the patient. W. E. Price.